cement. Great care should be exercised in laying slabs of any kind to see that they are solidly bedded, that is, that no rat runs are left between adjoining slabs. They should never be laid on sand or mere earth, but always on concrete.

4. If there is one element in house management more than another which counts for rat expulsion, it is "tidiness" and this accordingly is enjoined on all. "Tidiness" does not mean decorations or tinsel with which it is often confounded—it means "a place for everything and everything in its own place."

P. S. ACHYUTA RAO,
Officiating Sanitary Commissioner.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. B. & R. 32, *dated* 14*th July* 1911.

From this date until further notice, applications from the public will be received in the undermentioned Treasuries for issue of supply bills on the Treasuries noted against each :—

1. Mysore District Treasury—
   (1) District Treasury, Bangalore.
   (2) District Treasury, Kolar.
   (3) District Treasury, Shimoga.

2. Bangalore District Treasury—
   (1) District Treasury, Kolar.
   (2) District Treasury, Shimoga.

3. Chitaldrug District Treasury—
   Bangalore District Treasury.

2. Each application should contain the following particulars—
   (1) Amount for which supply bill is required,
   (2) Name of Treasury at which payment is required, and
   (3) Name and address of the applicant for supply bill;

and should be sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Treasury Department concerned, together with the amount for which bills are required and the amount of the commission at 1/8 per cent.

3. No supply bill will be issued for less than Rs. 500.

4. The undermentioned Taluk Treasuries have also been authorized to receive applications for issue of supply bills :—

Mysore District—
   (1) Hunsur.
   (2) Seringapatam.
   (3) Nanjangud.
   (4) T.-Narsipur.
   (5) Chamrajnagar.

Chitaldrug District—
   (6) Davangere.

The application should in this case be addressed to the Amildar of the Taluk concerned under the same conditions as above. He will receive the application and the amounts of the bill and commission sent therewith and grant a receipt in the prescribed form and obtain the required supply bill from the District Treasury concerned and deliver it to the party on his surrendering the receipt originally granted.

5. Supply bills will be drawn only on the District Treasuries. But such bills will, as far as possible, be made payable at any Taluk Treasury within the district drawn upon. For payment at a Taluk Treasury, however, the payee will have to address the Deputy Commissioner, Treasury Department, of the district, who will arrange for such payment as early as practicable.

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI,
Comptroller.